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SUBJECT; INDIAN OCEAN TASK GROUP

REFERENCE: TEHRAN 8507

1. WE FORESEE NO REPEAT NO DIFFICULTY IN ABIDING BY
CONDITIONS OUTLINED REFTTEL.

A. PRICE TO BE PAID FOR FUEL WILL BE SUBJECT OF
SEPARATE DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN USG AND GOI REPRESENTATIVES.

B. PRESS GUIDANCE WILL CONTINUE AS PREVIOUSLY AGREED
UPON. PRESENCE OF P-3S WILL BE EXPLAINED AS OPERATION FOR
TRAINING IRANIAN AIRMEN. COD AIRCRAFT WILL BE EXPLAINED
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AS SUPPORTING JOINT US-IRANIAN TRAINING AND EXERCISE AC-
TIVITIES. TO THIS END, USN WILL CONTINUE INVITE IRANIAN
PERSONNEL PERIODICALLY FLY ON P-3S AND VISIT CARRIER AND
USDAO TEHRAN MAY CONDUCT DIRECT LIAISON WITH CINCPAC

TO MAKE DETAILED ARRANGEMENTS. IN ADDITION, IF IRANIAN SHIP OR SHIPS DESIRE OPERATE WITH TASK GROUP FOR SHORT PERIODS, THIS CAN ALSO BE ARRANGED VIA SAME CHANNELS. IF QUESTION ARISES ABOUT USAF COMMUNICATIONS UNIT, ITS ACTIVITIES WILL BE EXPLAINED AS PROVIDING SUPPORT FOR THE US-IRANIAN TRAINING AND EXERCISE ACTIVITIES. FINALLY, PAST EXPERIENCE INDICATES C-141/C-130 FLIGHTS TO BANDAR

ABBAS WILL PROBABLY BE INFREQUENT.

C. WE HAVE NO REPEAT NO INTENTION ALLOW OUR USE OF BANDAR ABBAS BE INTERPRETED AS US BASE IN IRAN.

2. AS YOU DEEM APPROPRIATE, YOU MAY WISH TO EXPRESS USG APPRECIATION FOR GOI SUPPORT TASK GROUP OPERATIONS.

3. QUESTIONS RAISED IN TEHRAN'S 8624 ARE BEING ADDRESSED. KISSINGER

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